



# RARE SKIN DISEASES NETWORK

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## THE INTERNATIONAL NETWORK ON RARE SKIN DISEASES FOR PROFESSIONALS AND PATIENTS

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### OUR MISSION

Since 2003, the Rare Skin Diseases Network of the Fondation René Touraine gathers dermatologists, scientists, patient representatives, scientific societies and public health authorities. Together, they develop new strategies to improve healthcare and social support for patients with rare skin diseases.

### OUR ACHIEVEMENTS FOR 15 YEARS

- More than **15 conferences on diagnosis and management organized** in European, Mediterranean and Middle-Eastern countries
  - More than **1000 healthcare professionals trained**
    - More than **50 fellowships**
  - An **international directory** for patients and healthcare professionals
  - An **international Art Contest** to raise awareness on rare skin diseases
  - Launch of the **ERN-Skin** and support to the ERN-Skin coordination team



### OUR OBJECTIVES FOR 2020

Capacity Building	Pilot centre for Epidermolysis Bullosa patients in Syria (questioned due to Covid-19)	Pilot research project on phenotype-genotype correlation in Kuwait, Lebanon, Syria and Tunisia
Training	On-site training in expert centers in France and Italy	Regional rare skin disorders symposium in Tunisia and Iran
Communication	Art Contest	